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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to Rules 56 and 99, Applicants hereby call the attention of the Patent Office to the documents listed on the attached Form PTO 1449. The Johnson et al. reference is discussed in the present application and is cited at page 4, line 15 et seq. of the Specification. The Koodli reference is discussed in the present application and is cited at page 4, line 18 et seq. of the Specification.

Applicants present this art so that the Patent Office may, in the first instance, determine any relevancy thereof to the presently claimed invention, see <u>Beckman Instruments</u>, <u>Inc. v. Chemtronics</u>, <u>Inc.</u>, 439 F.2d 1369, 1380, 165 USPQ 355, 364 (5th Cir. 1970). Also see Patent Office Rules 104 and 106. Applicants

respectfully request that this art be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application and made of record herein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue herefrom.

Respectfully submitted,

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**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS** EXAMINER DOCUMENT NUMBER IF APPROPRIETE DATE NAME CLASS SUBCLASS **FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS** DOCUMENT NUMBER DATE COUNTRY CLASS SUBCLASS TRANSLATION YES NO OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.) D. Johnson, et al.: "Mobility Support in IPv6," draft-ietf-mobileip-ipv6-24.txt, June 30, 2003, pp. 1-172. R. Koodli: "Fast Handovers for Mobile IPv6," draft-ietf-mobileip-fast-mipv6-08.txt, October 10, 2003, pages i and 2-34.

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